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House Appropriations Request FY 2010

Project Name:

Enhancing Quality Utilization by Integrating Primary Care (Wake

Health Services Electronic Medical Records)

Recipient:

Wake Health Services, Inc.

Recipient Address:

2620 New Bern Ave

Recipient City:

Raleigh

Recipient State:

NC

Recipient Zip:

27610

Amount of Request: \$750,000

Explanation of the request (must include purpose and why it is a valuable use of taxpayer funds): Wake Health Services is a private, not-for-profit Community Health Center Providing quality primary health care services for the medically underserved in Wake and Franklin County. This project will assist Wake Health Services in the adoption of Electronic Health Records. The use of an Electronic Health Records system will improve patient safety, quality of care, and efficiency. With the adoption of electronic health records. Wake Health Services will be able to go outside of the typical bricks and mortar clinic and into high-needs environments. More than 25,000 largely low-income patients will benefit from this project. Through this project Wake Health Services will be able to provide improved health services to vulnerable populations.

In order to offer more opportunity for public scrutiny, I have posted information on each project request submitted to the Appropriations Committee at the time the request was made.

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